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Applicant(s): Peter J. HOLLANDS et al.

Invention: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR MANUFACTURING PELLETS OF HOT-MELT INK

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Design	200	100	100	50	130	65		
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80		
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300		
Provisional	200	100	0	0	. 0	0		
2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES		100	v	v	•	v		Small Entity
Fee Description							Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
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